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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTER		DATE	December 16, 2020
MOTOR CARRIER MATTER		DOCKET NO.	2019-209-E
UTILITIES MATTER	✓	ORDER NO.	2020-826

THIS DIRECTIVE SHALL SERVE AS THE COMMISSION'S ORDER ON THIS ISSUE.

Order Approving Paper Proceeding

SUBJECT:

<u>No. 2019-209-E - South Carolina Energy Freedom Act (House Bill 3659) Proceeding Related to Dominion Energy South Carolina, Incorporated and S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-41-30 Related to Electrical Utilities and Their Current Voluntary Renewable Energy Program, and Such Other Proceedings Required by the Commission - Staff Presents for Commission Consideration Dominion Energy South Carolina, Incorporated's Request for Matter to Be Decided Without a Formal Hearing.</u>

COMMISSION ACTION:

Hearing Officer Directive No. 2020-127-H held the scheduled formal virtual hearing in abeyance until the Commission could rule upon the request of Dominion Energy South Carolina Incorporated for this docket to be decided without a formal hearing but to decide the matter on the paper record (i.e. a paper hearing based upon the verified prefiled testimony and exhibits and filings in the record of this Docket). All parties of record – ORS, SC Solar Business Alliance, Walmart, Inc. and Johnson Development Associates – do not object to the request by Dominion to decide this case as a paper proceeding and without a formal hearing on the merits.

I move that the Commission grant the request of Dominion, and agreed to by all the parties of record, to decide the issues in this matter as a paper proceeding. All parties submitting or prefiling testimony and exhibits shall provide to the Commission within ten (10) days the sworn verification from each witness.

I so move, Madam Vice Chair.

PRESIDING:	<u>Belser</u>				SESSION: Regular	TIME:	2:00 p.m.
	MOTION	YES	NO	OTHER			
BELSER		✓			Present in Hearing Roo	om	
CASTON	✓	✓			Voting via Skype		
ERVIN		✓			Voting via Skype		
POWERS		✓			Present in Hearing Roo	m	

THOMAS C. WILLIAMS	>			Voting via audio conference Voting via audio conference
J. WILLIAMS		□ Ab:	<u>sent</u>	Military Leave
(SEAL)				RECORDED BY: J. Schmieding

